

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re the Application of:

KOKUBUN et al

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For: OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE AND METHOD  
OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

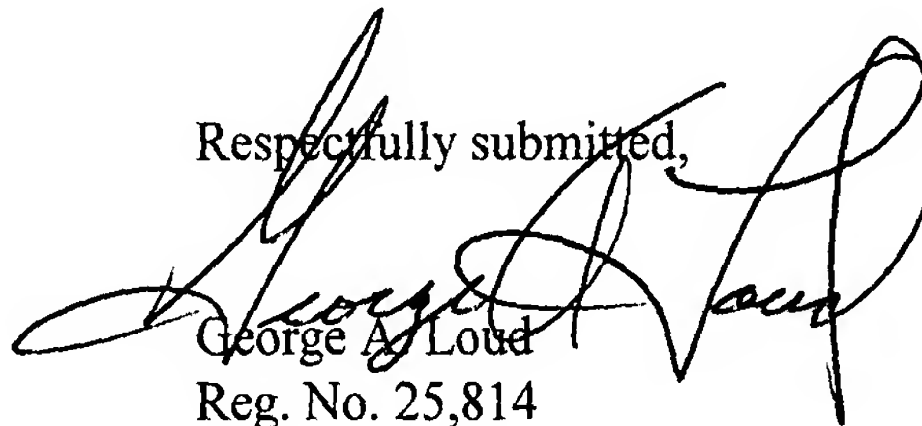
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the examiner consider and cite of record the eight (8) Japanese language documents listed on the attached, copies of which are submitted herewith, along with a published English language abstract of each.

Respectfully submitted,



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